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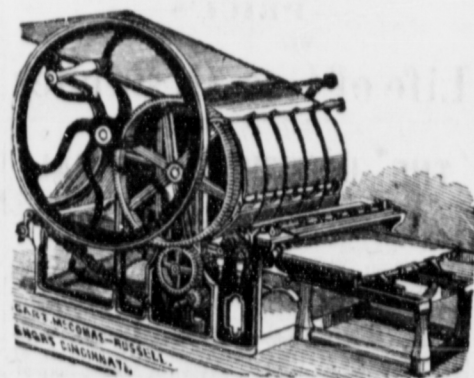
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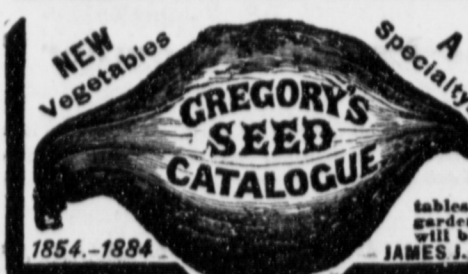
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GOV. JAMES B. MCCREARY.

Below are some of the press comments on Gov. McCreary's candidacy for Congress:

We presume no one will call in question Gov. McCreary's fitness for the position he asks. His thorough qualification goes without the saying. But so many aspirants for the same place have arisen that some may have a hesitancy as to whom they should support. Let such cast their eyes over the field, consider the several candidates, weigh well all the surroundings and circumstances, and then vote for the one who is best entitled to their suffrages. We are not disposed to underrate the abilities of any of the other distinguished gentlemen whose names have been mentioned in this connection. Madison offers a man for this important trust whose ability and influence will be second to none in the National Congress. Being able to present such a candidate, she modestly claims the right to name the next Congressman for the district, not having enjoyed that distinction since 1853 Judge Durham has served three terms and Mr. Talbott, from the same county, three terms. Boyle also furnished Wm. Anderson one term, making twelve years' hold on the position. This looks a little like Boyle was disposed to ask more than her share. Mr. Thompson, the present incumbent, has been elected three times. This should satisfy Mercer. Governor McCreary declined to make the race against Thompson two years ago because the district was new and very close. He is a true and consistent democrat, and will never do anything to imperil the success of the party. Always a hard, earnest and faithful worker in the ranks, his sledge-hammer blows have been felt by the republicans in every contest in which he has been permitted to take even an humble part. —[Richmond Herald.]

Gov. Jas. B. McCreary has been with us since the evening of the 31st. The truth is the boys have fallen in love with him and the old men also. His easy manner and graceful bearing, his intelligence, culture and affability, together with his record as an officer in the past, forces one to appreciate his sterling worth and true greatness. As a Governor he was a model, and should he be elected to Congress, his influence will be a power, and his constituents will justly be proud of him. He is a candidate in earnest and his following in this county is very strong. He can safely say that his chances are good to carry this county, and he claims that he will carry the district. —[Lancaster News.]

Ex-Gov. McCreary is announced as an aspirant to Congress in the district now represented by Phil. Thompson, and it would be a good thing if the democrats of the district should elect him as their standard bearer. The Ex-Governor is still a young man, having scarcely reached his

prime. He made the State a faithful Chief Executive, and as a member of Congress he would render substantial service, not to Kentucky only, but to the whole country. He is a prudent, conservative, safe man to trust, in whatever position he may occupy. —[Louisville Argus.]

We have heard many express themselves for the Ex-Governor, and since Hon. A. G. Talbott has announced himself as a candidate, which will divide the vote of Boyle between him and Durham, the friends of McCreary feel much more hopeful of his election. Madison county has not had a man in Congress for over thirty years, while Boyle county has been represented repeatedly, Judge Durham having already served two terms. Gov. McCreary is also entitled to a good vote for his excellent service in the Chief Executive's chair for four years, at which time he did his part well. Besides, he was instrumental in redeeming his own county from radicalism, and is withal a true, tried and faithful servant of the people. —[Jessamine Journal.]

Gov. McCreary made a model Governor, was faithful to every trust imposed upon him, discharged the duties of his office most efficiently, and it is reasonable to presume that should he be the choice of the people of this district, he will give equal satisfaction as their representative in Congress. He is eminently fitted for the duties of the office by education and experience, and we doubt not would do honor to himself and reflect credit on his constituency at all times. Intelligent, affable, courteous, dignified and an orator of more than ordinary ability, he would make friends and draw such a following about him as would make him a power in the National Hall of Representatives, thereby enabling him to do good service for his district, his State and the people at large. He has a host of friends in Anderson county who would be delighted to see him honored in any manner and who will use all honorable means to secure his nomination. He is still a young man, just now in the prime of his manhood, and will have a large following among the young democracy. He is capable of accomplishing great good for his country, and no man who knows him doubts that he will use his best endeavors to that end. —[Anderson News.]

There is another candidate from Boyle county, Hon. A. G. Talbott. Two candidates from the same county may be the means of improving Gov. McCreary's chances, who hails from a county that has not had a Congressman in thirty years, while Boyle and Mercer have held the fort between them for eighteen years. If the democrats of the district should go back to old principles by insisting on rotation in office, then Boyle would not stand a good chance for either of her candidates. In public life, as a Legislator, Speaker and Governor, Mr. McCreary manifested the most perfect devotion to duty, always at his post and always a firm and uncompromising democrat. Every position he occupied he filled with credit to himself and gave general satisfaction to the people. —[Nicholasville Courier.]

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SEVEN days have gone by and still there is no nomination for U. S. Senator. Already the lost to the State has reached \$10,000, not to mention the important legislation that has been neglected, for little or nothing has been done and a third of the Constitutional session is gone. While Williams has done nothing to especially merit a re-nomination, he appears to be the choice of a majority of the people of the State and their representatives at Frankfort should obey their wishes and end the disgusting foolishness, which at \$5 per day the larger half of the members would be glad to have go on forever. We have nothing to say against Joe Blackburn, in fact we like his bold, outspoken manner, and concede that he is a man of more ability perhaps than Williams, but he will have to wait. His outside support militates against him and the efforts of the cut throats and thugs from Louisville and elsewhere, do him much more harm than good. All the small fry politicians are for him, while the people seem to be for Williams. After a number of fruitless ballots Friday night the caucus adjourned until Monday night, with but little show that the dead lock would be broken, consequently we did not wait to announce the result in this paper. The last ballot, the 44th, of Friday night, stood Williams 52; Blackburn 45; Sweeney 24; one of Williams' men having gone to Blackburn and one to Sweeney.

It is announced that Senator Voorhees is defending Nutt who killed Dukes for the murder of his father. This thing has become so common, that men who have business with the Senator, instead of inquiring at the Capital, correspond with the Circuit Court Clerks as to his probable whereabouts at any given time. It is conceded that whenever a great criminal is to be defended throughout the length and breadth of the land, there will the eloquent Senator be found prepared to act as his advocate. This may be all very well, so far as the safety of the criminal and the profits of the Senator are concerned; but a nice question arises as to the propriety of the thing in reference to his constituency and the country. There is a presumption at least that the Senator is elected and paid to give all the powers of his great mind to the service of his country, and at this distance we cannot see where he gets his right to employ those powers in mere professional avocation.

JUST as we expected! A few days ago we announced that fortune had smiled upon Garrison, distinguished as the living skeleton, that the capricious fate which immured his aspiring soul within its bone-barred prison house had relented and in a joyous mood had thrown into his pulsating arms a blooming bride. We were disposed to moralize about the compensatory outworkings of human experience. But, alas for the poetry of the affair; the next mail brings news that the bride has fled from his embrace, a raving maniac. History may forever fail to unravel the mystery—science may be forever at fault as to the sudden revulsion of feeling experienced by the bride. But the dictum of common sense is that the insanity came in when she married and the wailing cry of 'take him away' was the voice of return-resson.

It was long ago given as one of the outgrowths of latter day defections and one of the evidences of latter day sorrows that: "In that day shall seven women lay hold upon one man &c." According to late reports this prediction is now being literally fulfilled at Frankfort. There are just seven ladies candidates for the office of Librarian, and they are said to beat the world in the application of the science of legislative button hole-ing. Some of the veteran members bear themselves bravely through the ordeal—in fact, seem rather to like it; but to boys like Rigney and Hill it is terrific. The caucus to nominate has been postponed till next Friday night.

THE Louisville Democrat takes a singular position on the outrageous action of Gov. Knott in allowing the life convict Steele to go from the prison walls unattended, to his father's funeral. It says that the Governor was pressed into the course by some one intimately associated with his administration and that the man who brought it about should resign at once. That's poppycock. The Governor is alone to blame. He is noted as a man of firmness and it has never been charged of him that his heart gets the better of his head.

THE Breckenridge News, which makes a specialty of murder statistics, says that 31 men were killed in Kentucky in December, making 108 since September. And yet Gov. Knott says in his message that murders are not more frequent here than in other States. He should put himself before the law and indict another message.

A Tax nomination for a Public Printer will be made this afternoon. There are a number of candidates, including our old friend, Dr. John D. Woods, of the Bowling Green Gazette, who they say, has the inside track.

It was Green, Adams, ex-Congressman from Kentucky and not Matt, who died at Philadelphia. He is from Barbourville, and was sixth Auditor of the Treasury under Lincoln.

LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

A bill to legalize perjury has been presented. That is in effect if criminals are allowed to testify in their own behalf.

The House by a vote of 77 to 10 passed the Senate bill to take the sense of the people at the August election 1885, on the question of calling a constitutional convention.

A bill to authorize the County Court of Whitley county to levy taxes and issue bonds to raise money to build a Court-house and jail and purchase a site for the latter in said county was presented.

Hon. M. J. Cook, of Rockcastle had leave for a bill to prohibit the sale of vinous or malt liquors, or wine, ale or beer, or the mixture thereof, in the counties of Laurel, Rockcastle, Jackson and Owsley. Moral and Religious Institutions.

The democrats are determined that the republicans shall not help them elect a Senator. So they divide so that none of the candidates can get a majority of the votes when the ballot in joint session is taken. The result Saturday was Williams 33; Blackburn 26, Sweeney 25.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

Four men were killed by a boiler explosion at Rochester N. Y.

Carlisle was banquipped by the Commonwealth Club of Philadelphia, Saturday.

Wm. Kelley, of Covington, Ky., shot his mistress and committed suicide in Las Vegas, New Mexico.

An earthquake shock was felt in Wilmington, N. C. The jar was sufficient to shift stove-pipes and unlash doors.

The Madison Court gave Hamilton \$2,500 against the K. C. for running its line through his livery stable at Richmond.

The Grand Hotel Cincinnati has been re-leased to the Gilmour Brothers, who are majority stockholders, for ten years, at \$38,000 a year.

Judge E. R. Wilson was elected United States senator on the sixth ballot to succeed Mr. Groome, March 4, 1885, at Annapolis, Md.

John Davidson, aged 80 and his wife, aged 86, being out of fuel went to bed to get warm and were frozen to death, near Knoxville Tenn.

Leroy Donovan was hung at Rawlins, Wyoming Territory. He was the first white man ever executed in that Territory by process of law.

The bill declaring forfeited the land grant of 15,000,000 acres to the Texas Pacific Railroad Company will be put through the House with a whirl.

A man and woman were hanged at Oursay, Col. by vigilance, for the murder of their adopted child. It was the first woman ever lynched in that country.

An election is to be held in the city of Covington on February 23, on the question of appropriating \$1,000,000 for a new bridge, as authorized by the bill passed last week.

Argus Dean, the Indiana fruit grower, writes that fruit buds are killed by the late cold snap beyond a doubt; as to the effect upon the trees it is not so easy to determine.

Col. Bennett H. Young has resigned the presidency of the Louisville, New Albany & Chicago R. R., and Mr. James Roosevelt of New York, has been elected in his stead.

Ex-Speaker Eagar, of New Jersey Legislature, has been sentenced to imprisonment for one month and fined \$500, for accepting a bribe for "letting up" on certain bills.

The Government claims that ex-U. S. Marshal R. H. Crittenden, of this State, is behind in his accounts to the amount of \$10,304.68, and has brought suit against his bondsmen for that amount.

The Trustees of A-Bury University formally accepted the DePew donation of \$250,000, which is likely to be increased to \$1,000,000, and changed the name of institution to DePew University.

W. N. Hogan, who was elected representative of Grant county, but who recently resigned because of ill-health, committed suicide at Williamstown, Saturday. He is said to have lost his mind on account of losses by speculation.

The factory of the Cincinnati Corrugating Company, on Eggleston avenue, was set on fire by the explosion of a boiler, and burned out. The employees were thrown into a panic, and there were many narrow escapes. The loss is estimated at \$93,000.

Briggs Cunningham's resignation as President of the Kentucky Central was accepted. He says his reason for getting out is that the Citizens' National Bank requires his whole attention. Vice President Echols will act as President of the road until the annual meeting is held.

Congressman Follett is pushing his plan for transferring the Pension Bureau to the Treasury Department and abolishing the Pensions Agencies. Carl Schurz said of a bill incorporating the same idea, introduced into the Forty fifth Congress, that the change proposed was expedient and practicable.

The steamer City of Columbus, from Boston to Savannah, west ashore on Devil's Bridge, on the Massachusetts coast, and was soon broken up by the sea. The boats were all swamped, and many of the passengers were swept from the decks. Of the 126 passengers 119 were lost, none of the women were saved. The boat was 1,997 tons burden and cost \$300,000.

A. S. Hatch, of Fisk, Hatch & Co., New York bankers, says the calling in of the three per cent. bonds will certainly lead to an extensive and embarrassing contraction of the currency. He thinks the most practicable remedy Congress can apply is to repeal the tax on National bank circulation and authorize the issue of circulation equal to ninety per cent. of the market value of the bonds on deposit.

GEO. O. BARNES in ENGLAND.

"PRAISE THE LORD"

102 SHACKLEWELL LANE, DALSTON, LONDON, E. DEC. 22, '83

Dear Interior:

Monday night we went to Highgate to help our dear Edith Piper with "her boys," for whom she had prepared the conventional "tea"—this time the tea being cocoa—and wanted us for song and a "word of exhortation," that might help the poor fellows on to a better life. We found them in a small hall, where also, Misses Annie and Gertrude Green had mustered a few of their pet "Navvies" and were in attendance as guests. Edith's "boys," I may safely call "roughs," as she is not responsible for their present condition, and is hoping to bring them into a better one, if patient teaching and gentle kindness can effect the desirable end. The influx of guests taxed the extempore culinary department to its utmost, there being some embarrassment on the score of a sufficiency of cups and saucers; and the little stove, at a critical moment, refused to heat any more water and indeed to do anything but smoke; but with these trifling exceptions the eating portion of the entertainment went off well, all being served abundantly in due time. Our part was a little difficult, at first, as Edith's boys, being bent on a "lark," did not seem disposed to endure sermonizing; and amused themselves by freely pinching each other, scuffling over the backs of the seats, shooting pellets at their guests, the "navvies," on the other side of the room, and any other little sport suggested by prolific brains of mischief. There were only about a dozen in all of these half grown lads and about the same number of the Misses Green's pets; but even a dozen mischievous boys, keen for fun, (for the men were perfectly decorous and quiet) are not easily subdued. By dint of singing, exhorting, bearing patiently with the sallies of rough wit, smiling and never frowning, they at last became quiet and listened attentively to the story of "David the Giant Killer." The upshot of the two hours skirmish with these dear young ruffians was, that one of their number confessed the loving Jesus and nearly all the rest seemed deeply impressed. I feel sure our dear Edith will win them all for Jesus in the end. Again we are called to admire the self denial of these children of affliction, who instead of sitting quietly down in places of ease and letting the world take care of itself, turn out to hunt up these neglected souls, and do "what they can" to save them. I declare it was a sight for heavenly eyes to look upon with gladness, to see these ladies waiting upon the roughest of men and boys with smiling attention. Is it not, in kind though not in degree, angelic ministry? Think, dear reader, the distance between these refined women and these coarse specimens of humanity is a feeble span, compared with the almost immeasurable chasm of natural separation between these and these "ministering spirits," who, by sweetest grace, are sent forth to wait upon thy wants. I think of this in a new and fresher light with this loving illustration of the fact, brought before my eyes, in love's ministry to the outcast. The dear LORD will crown these patient reflectors of HIS own ways of LOVE.

Tuesday night seven of us went to hear Moody and Sankey at Stepney. The two Woods, Vernon, Charley, the girls and myself composed the party. We found the place without difficulty—in the far East of London—and through a rabble of men and boys, hawking hymn books and photos of the evangelists, we made our way down a muddy lane to the preaching place, which we found pitched in, what seemed to be, the midst of an extensive lumber yard. I suppose the committee had to put the great temporary building down upon any empty lot they could get, in the desired vicinity of the population to be reached. But what might be fatal to other meetings seems to favor these devout servants of the LORD; for the Tabernacle was filled by the time the preaching began, and five thousand people at least, hung on the utterances of the speaker and singer. My readers already know, perhaps, that there are two Tabernacles, that are moved about every two weeks, until the campaign is over. For example, this one at Stepney was the one they occupied at Islington in November, and will be taken down next week to be put up at a point selected for a meeting to begin the middle of January; while the one they used at Wandsworth two weeks ago is now being pitched at Stratford, I think, where the next meeting is to be. These movable halls are just like three cotton sheds about 100 feet long set side by side, with three gables, roofs the ordinary pitch and of corrugated sheet iron. The "Inquiry Rooms" are arranged at either side, the whole having board floors, seated with chairs and lighted with gas—100 jets sufficing. A couple of stoves help to take off the chill, but 5,000 people soon warm things up. Seven years had passed since we had heard the familiar voices, but the first sound of them transported us to Chicago in 1876, this very month, and the grand meeting there, where I had the joy of working in the "Inquiry Rooms" for two months, at a time when the LORD'S grace and love had been "shed abroad" in my own heart so that I had "enough and to spare" for other hungry souls. The men are just the same with but a shadow of advancing years creeping upon them. Moody a good deal stouter and using glasses, Sankey, scarcely a day older, as seen from the parquette, and voices of both quite unimpaired by all the "wear and tear" of continuous service. Indeed there is no "wear and tear" in Jesus service. I used the word from old force of habit, and take it back before the ink is dry. I am glad that dear Moody preached just the sermon he did, Tuesday night, for it perhaps the last time I shall see and hear him on earth, and I wanted my last re-

membrance of him to be in connection with a pure gospel utterance. And such was his noble sermon on "deliverance," spoken that evening. The dear man of God has many varying tastes to please, and is surrounded by "many men of many minds;" and these sometimes make their marks upon his addresses, that are painfully apparent to those who know the truth, and to himself, I doubt not. This perhaps is the needful price to pay for being "all things to all men," in which Moody succeeds better than any living man. I know no other who can hold together men of diametrically differing views, as he does. May he shake London this winter, as it was never shaken before. "God bless Moody and Sankey," is my constant prayer.

Whitley and McGrenahan are doing well in Ireland, I hear. Praise the LORD for their ministry of love and peace, also. In my own busy life I shall have no leisure to hear them, but I shall never cease to follow them with my best wishes and prayers, and always esteem it an honor that I knew them in days past.

Wednesday noon, the girls and I went to Aldersgate st., to resume the suspended ministry to the working women, in which we took such pleasure before going to Scotland. Excellent sister Fisher was in her place as usual, at the head of the movement, and it was a joy to see so many faces light up with recognition and welcome as we came in. We are to be with them as often as we can at the noon tide, in future. About 100 present Wednesday—an increase on the old congregation. Praise the LORD for this "open door." We have continuous work from the 30th inst., when we have promised to go to the West End—the first chance at that high-bred, but gospel-needy locality. After that to Barnet, and then to Dartford, four miles from Baxley Heath; but of these, when the time comes. I only mention it that my readers may rejoice with us, that abundant opportunities of work will not be wanting between this and the opening of the New Year, we shall doubtless find plenty of "odd jobs" to do to keep out of mischief.

Thursday night we attended a bible reading at Capt. Dennis' in Barnet, where we are to go on the 6th of January, and had a good time, with full liberty in addressing 30 or 40 Christians. Praise the dear LORD for any open door where one can enter with "good tidings" in these days when the devil's craft is especially displayed in "stopping the wells" where Christs flock could get a refreshing draught and driving off true Shepherds who would open them again. "Ye shall draw water from the wells of Salvation," with unbounded joy, alas, is written of another age. Only after toil and strife and many blows gotten and given, the harassed flock get transient supplies from weary hands; for HE came "not to bring peace but a sword." And His very love was to be the occasion of dissensions in society at large and under lives under the same roof, that else had gone the journey through in harmony. Terrible and intolerable fact in our awful history this would be, but for the kindred fact that our God and grace is out of blackest evil bringing good—"overcoming evil with good" as scripture puts it, so that out of the very "eat shall come forth meat, and out of the strong, sweetness." The gentle, loving Savior, the Author of the vilest evil, is the one anomalous paradox, the hateful, malicious devil, the author of sweetest good is the other. And so these inflexible rules of procedure are ever working till the end is reached and "Death even shall be swallowed up in victory"—a dead death evermore; and he who had the power of it is himself also destroyed by the glorious life-giver. I hope there will not be many revolutions of this, poor sin-cursed planet before the problem is worked out and the mystery of iniquity fully solved. A most perplexing mystery we make of it, by our hard thoughts of God, charging him "foolishly" or "ignorantly" as the case may be, but ever with a hidden tendency to blame HIM, who alone is "guiltless." How lightly would this "Mystery" of evil have sat upon the race had men but justified God instead of themselves, and put the blame where it belongs. But failing here what can there be but distress and perplexity? Leave but my God intact and I can bear all else. But if the bitter cry come from anguished hearts: "Ye have taken away my God—and what more have I left?"—then there is no remedy. The soul must writhe and feel the stinging and stabbing in the darkness, with naught of alleviation or compensation, save stray thoughts of comfort that the Blessed Spirit manages to get in spite of all our unbelief. But for this we should sit down in sullenness of sorrow to die.

Let me then again and again entreat my fellow traveler to hold on to this one "Anchor sure and steadfast," that God is LOVE and nothing else. Whatever comes only be thoroughly satisfied with Him. Set "the face as a flint" to justify HIM alone; be "steadfastly minded" to defend HIM in thought, word and deed against all comers—men or devils—and thou shalt be numbered among those counted, valiant for truth "good and faithful servants," a good soldiers of Jesus Christ, worthy of a place upon the throne of Him, whose good name thou hast known and whose honor thou hast shielded in a world where all was against Him. Ever in Jesus.

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I offer for sale privately my farm of 331 3-4 ACRES, situated 7 miles S. E. of Nicholasville on Hickman Creek, in Jessamine county. The land is in blue-grass and clover and is in good condition for growing any crop suited to this part of the State and is well adapted to growing tobacco. The improvements consist of a frame dwelling of 7 rooms with porch and cellar, a well of good water near the door, a good barn, and a wagon shed and other necessary out buildings. An orchard, stock water abundant and convenient. The fencing on the creek is mostly of stone. Plenty of timber for fencing purposes and fences mostly in good repair. Location is convenient to Church, school and mill. I will sell the property low and on easy terms to parties desiring a home or will divide it to suit purchasers. If not sold by Mr. J. I. will rent to reliable parties for fencing purposes and fences mostly in good repair. Location is convenient to Church, school and mill. 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LOCAL NOTICES.

BUY PAINTS OF Penny & McAlister.
NICE stock of birthday cards at Penny & McAlister's.
STANDARD ready mixed paints at McRoberts & Stagg's.
JOS. HAAS Hog Cholera Cure. Penny & McAlister sole agents.
BRAND new stock of every thing in the jewelry line at Penny & McAlister's.
WATCHES, Clocks and Jewelry repaired and warranted by Penny & McAlister.
FOR coughs, colds, &c., use Compound Syrup White Pine. Put up in 25c and 50c bottles. Trial size 10c. McRoberts & Stagg.

PERSONAL.

—T. W. HIGGINS returned to Louisville yesterday.
—MISS IVA SMILEY has gone to Indianapolis, Ind., to visit Miss Grace Warner.
—MRS. JOS. GOODE, who has been very ill of pneumonia, is improving as we learn from her sister, Miss Allie Gover.
—MR. J. W. BASTIN, secretary of the Laurel Coal Co., has been on a visit to his parents in this county.
—MISS MAOGIE ADAMS, Rosa Repert and Ella Joplin and Messrs James Maret, W. G. Adams and A. Chessman formed a gay party from Mt. Vernon to the "Nip & Tuck" performance Saturday night. They returned on the midnight train.

LOCAL MATTERS.

SPLENDID Pickles at T. R. Walton's.
New stock of clover and timothy at W. H. Higgins.
FOR SALE. — Nice little office stove. W. P. Walton.
Goods delivered free of charge. Metcalf & Osley.
STORE ROOM for rent near the depot. Apply to S. P. Stagg.
SMOKE "Your Sweetheart" cigars, for sale by T. R. Walton.
The largest lot of sugars and coffee in town, at Bright & Curran's.
THERE was no mail agent on yesterday's north bound train, consequently we were cut out of two letters.
COMFORTABLE residence with three acres of land attached, in Stanford, for sale or rent. Apply to J. Bright.
We have the biggest line of sugars and coffee in town at bed rock prices, by barrel and sack. Bright & Curran.
We are now receiving another large supply of choice canned goods. Call and examine for yourself. Metcalf & Osley.
THREE or four freight cars jumped the track near Cedar Creek Saturday, demolishing them and delaying all trains several hours.
COME and see our handsome display of Queensware and Glassware, including some elegant dinner, tea and chamber sets. Bright & Curran.
THE sale of Dr. T. B. Montgomery's land and personal effects will occur, regardless of the weather and without reserve. There is a very fine body of land to be disposed of and a large lot of other valuable property. Begins promptly at 10 A. M. to-day.
THE county clerk, who is unimpeachable authority on most subjects, declares that during the course of a long, eventful and observant life, this is the first time he has ever seen weather too cold for marrying. Not a license issued in several days.
THE convenience of the telephone as a medium of communication was never fully realized until the interruption caused by the snow-storm some ten days ago and still continuing. Its temporary suspension causes a great deal of inconvenience and should be remedied at once. Hello! Hustonville! We pause for a reply.
ON our first page will be found extracts from numerous papers on the candidacy of Gov. McCreary for Congress. It seems to be the opinion everywhere that he is not only worthy but well qualified for the position and that he would make us a Congressman who would be an honor not only to this district and State, but the whole country.

SOME time ago we mentioned the fact that there was being recorded in the Clerk's office here in consideration of \$290,000 of the stock of the Crab Orchard Salt Co. and \$60,000 of its bonds, a deed from Mr. W. N. Haldeman, transferring the Crab Orchard Springs to the Crab Orchard Springs & Salts Company, by which name it is to hereafter be known. Mr. Thomas Roval, manager of the company, writes that this does not change the ownership of the place, being only a transfer from Mr. Haldeman, in whose name it was bought, to the company, which is composed of Col. B. H. Young, Mr. W. T. Grant and Mr. Haldeman.

NIP AND TUCK had the largest house of the season Saturday night, although the snow and sleet made it a most disagreeable task to get to the Opera House. The play is a most amusing one and gives Harry Webber excellent opportunities to display his superior abilities as a comedian. He is decidedly one of the best on the road and withal one of the nicest gentlemen we have met in many a day. His support is good, especially that of Tuck, Miss Nellie Strickland and the five-year-old wonder, little Carrie Webber, and the entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by the audience, which showed its delight in frequent and hearty applause. Mr. Webber partially promised to play a return engagement in March and if he can do so, we are sure he will be received by a house in which standing room will be at a premium.

DR. MONTGOMERY'S sale at 10 A. M. to-day.

A big stock of Oliver Chilled Plows at W. H. Higgins.

Our stock of staple groceries and provisions is now complete. Metcalf & Osley.

MALAGA grapes, Florida oranges, Bananas, Few York cream cheese, &c., just received. Bright & Curran.

EDITOR HUGHES should remember the couplet:

"Little head, little wit,
Big head, not a bit."

THE talk of all the fruit buds being killed is no doubt true. If this weather isn't sufficient to kill them we may never have fears on that score again.

MR. A. WHITLEY MONTGOMERY is the proud possessor of a ten-pound boy. "Just a pound heavier than his father," some facetious fellow remarks.

STANFORD has always had the reputation of being an orderly and somewhat pious city, but its people have never been known to walk so circumspectly as during the last few days.

THERE has been one or two snows since our last issue and the mercury was standing at zero yesterday morning again. The wretchedly cold weather which came with the New Year continues with almost unprecedented fury.

THE engineers of the C. G. R. & N. E. Ry., under Capt. Spradlin, are the hardest worked set of fellows we ever saw. All during this terrible weather they have worked early and late, running lines along the steep hillside, where it was almost impossible to stand, and wading through snow in the valleys, in some places over knee deep. They seem to be in dead earnest and much pleased with the lines they have run past here. Our citizens should give them all the assistance in their power.

HON. THOMAS P. HILL, JR., spent Sunday at home, having come for the purpose of conferring with the people as to the proper steps to take in the matter of exempting the C. G. R. & N. E. Ry. from county taxes for 25 years. The bill had passed both Houses, but on examination the Governor finds that it is unconstitutional, his attention having been called to it no doubt by some busy-body, who wanted to thwart the will of a large majority of our people, and he informed Judge Hill that he would have to veto it. Upon consultation it was decided that if the Governor would withhold his action, the bill should be withdrawn from his hands and another framed so as to meet the necessities of the case. Whether unconstitutional or not, the exemption of certain industries from taxation has been made time and again and it seems invidious now to spring such a question, besides the very charter of the road itself exempts it from State taxation for five years. Surely that is of more importance to the State at large than a mere local attempt to foster an enterprise that our people so much desire. Judge Hill returned on the 2:33 express yesterday morning in order to be on hand at the opening of the session yesterday. He hasn't missed an hour from his seat yet and intends that the same shall be said of him at the close of the session. He was under the impression that a break in the dead-lock would occur last night, in which event he would obey the wishes of his people and cast his vote for Gen. Williams, whom, he says, is sure to get at least twelve of Secey's vote in case the contest comes between him and Blackburn.

THE present season is enforcing a lesson which it would be well we should all study. Whether the winters are becoming more severe or not, one thing is certain: we are not and have never been sufficiently prepared against suffering or loss during the prevalence of an unrelenting visitation. There has been in late years a manifest improvement in certain localities, but as a general thing the old slipshod, improvident system, or rather want of system prevails. The unexpected and long continuing snow-storm finds us too often with roofs unrepaired, chimneys unstopped, clattering windows and doors that refuse to be closed, while the wood pile and coal heap exist only as things of memory. In the country the stock unhoused is shivering on some hill side, consuming and starving upon the provender, which judiciously administered would keep them in fine condition, and destroying more than they consume, while the inevitable result must be that the animals which survive till spring will come through weak and spiritless and permanently dwarfed and demoralized. In this particular thing our part of the State is strangely behind the times and negligent of the lights which experience and science have furnished. The profits in farming do not consist solely in abundant crops and large herds, but to a great extent also in husbanding the one and cherishing the other. More real profit may be derived from one hundred dollars expended in protecting stock from the weather than double that amount expended for extra feed. So more comfort may be gained to the family from a ten dollar fee to the carpenter or mason, than from the addition of twenty dollars' worth of increase of fuel. Let every one who feels the pinching, now commence and carry out during the coming summer and fall a well considered system of preparation for winter contingencies and thus reduce his winter inconvenience and losses.

RELIGIOUS.

—Cincinnati has fifteen Presbyterian Churches within the city limits, and seven more in the immediate vicinity, twenty-two in all, with over five thousand communicants.

—The Garfield Memorial Church at Washington was dedicated Sunday. President Pendleton, of Bethany College preached the sermon and ex-Gov. Bishop, of Ohio read an historical address.

—The Methodist ladies propose to give an entertainment at the Opera House during the month of February for the purpose of raising funds to pay for the seats and other improvements in their church recently made.

—The Presbyterian women stand first among the Christian denominations of the United States who during the past year gave \$600,000 to christianize the heathen, their share of this amount being \$200,000. The Baptists gave \$156,000, Congregationalists \$130,000, Northern Methodist \$108,000, Southern Methodist \$25,100.

DEATHS.

—A little two-year-old daughter of Wm. Cooley died Saturday of croup.

—Of pneumonia at the Commercial Hotel, after five days' illness, Friday, Richard Martin. He was a son of Mr. J. M. Martin and a young man of steady habits and gentlemanly deportment. He came to town only a few days before he was taken sick and entered as clerk for T. R. Walton, who was greatly pleased with the aptitude he showed for the business and the excellent manner in which he did his work. Our sympathy is with his parents and friends in their sad bereavement.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

—May wheat, in Chicago, went down to 96 cents, Saturday.

—A. M. Feland sold to Pony Besley, a 4-year old brown gelding, out of Fancy, by Gray Elmo, for \$210.

—Capt. Stone, of Madison, sold to Mason & Co., lessees of the Kentucky Penitentiary, 100,000 lbs. hemp at \$6.

—Dr. J. B. Osley, of the firm of White, Aiken & Co., Louisville, tells us that they have packed 20,000 hogs this season, which cost them an average of \$5.28 per hundred.

—THE INTERIOR JOURNAL has received from Commissioner Bowman some pure White Burley tobacco, which those of our patrons desiring to raise can get by calling at the office.

GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT.

Lancaster.

—Born to the wife of John Finnell, Saturday morning, a 10 pound boy.

—Your Lancaster correspondent was not "frozen up" last week, but there was a remarkable scarcity of news to report.

—The Citizens' National Bank has increased its capital stock to \$155,000, showing that there is a great deal of money in the country seeking investment.

—Col. J. K. Faulkner, of Louisville, is in town on a visit. Curt Robinson gave an elegant entertainment to a few friends Thursday evening at his home in the country, and H. C. Sutton also received friends at his home in the suburbs of town.

—Those who failed to see Nip and Tuck Friday evening missed one of the best performances ever given on the stage. It was replete with humor from beginning to end and was enjoyed by every one present. Although it was a rainy night, a large crowd was in attendance. Too much can not be said in praise of Harry Webber's company, which deserves a liberal patronage wherever it may go.

—Our poet laureate penned the touching lines below, which we transmit for insertion:

"Little Daweshusa,
Who edits the 'Nuzze',
At the end of a fuzze,
Gets all his fine joaze
And most of his fax
And semi-funny pokes
From antiquated almanax—
Else in the 'Nuzze' would be a dearth of jokes pokes
And facts."

—During the performance of Nip and Tuck Friday evening, a portion of the plastering fell from the ceiling of the Hall, where water had leaked through the roof, striking Chas. Gallagher upon his bald pate, but he luckily escaped injury. Nip was on the stage at the time of the accident in the most serious part of the play and proved himself master of the situation by saying, "You can't accuse me of bringing down the house this time!"

DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—Among the very latest arrivals in Danville is a little daughter at Mr. Louis Cohn's.

—The burlesque on the operetta "Twin Sisters," given by the young men of the town on Saturday night for the benefit of the poor, netted \$84.

—The many friends of Miss Judith Guest, daughter of Col. James W. Guest, of this place, were somewhat surprised to learn of her marriage at the St. Charles Hotel, in New Orleans, last Thursday. The fortunate gentleman was Mr. Penrose Vase, of Mobile, Ala. Miss Guest has been visiting friends in Mobile since last fall.

—A young man named John Douglass died at the residence of his stepfather, Mr. Mayfield, on Russell street Thursday of pneumonia. He had been in the employ of the Cincinnati Southern R. R. and was sick several days before he came home. The family came from Williamsburg, in Washington county, and at one time lived near Bryantville, in Garrard county. The funeral occurred Saturday evening.—Mrs. Susan A. Graham, the venerable widow of the late R. A. Graham, died on Saturday of pneumonia, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. W. C. Price. The funeral took place Sunday evening.

—Misses Sallie and Tillie Smith, of Lexington, and Julia and Lizzie Stephenson, of Harrodsburg, are the guests of Miss Mattie Gentry. Mr. Chas. Metcalf, the new editor of the *Jessamine Journal*, is a graduate of Centre College—class of 1883. Dr. Fayette Dunlap has returned from New York and Philadelphia, where he has been for several months attending medical lectures. Miss Maggie Rowland is visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. D. P. Rowland, in St. Louis. Miss Mary Helm is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Thos. E. Tutt, in St. Louis. Mr. Dick Dunlap, of Kansas City, is spending a few days here with old friends. Mr. Wm. S. Nichols, of Rockcas-

le county, near Brodhead, was in town Sunday and Monday. Mr. Sam Warren returned from Orlando and other points in Florida Sunday. He has not yet determined where he will locate. Dr. John C. Bogle is now domiciled at the Clemens House. Col. D. W. Jones, who has been in rather feeble health for some time past, was somewhat better Monday morning. Misses Belle and Sallie McGrath, of Lexington, will soon return to Danville. They will live in their house on Lexington street now occupied by Eld. S. W. Crutcher. Mr. E. S. Messick, of this place, and Messrs M. Cecil, J. A. Tomlinson and Isaac Pearson, of Harrodsburg, left Tuesday morning for Trinidad, Col., where they expect to embark extensively in stock raising.

IN MEMORIAM.

—It is with no ordinary sadness, I announce the death of Mr. Richard C. Martin, a son of Mr. J. M. and Arthusa Martin, of Logan's Creek neighborhood. Mr. Martin at the time of his death, which occurred Friday the 18th of the present month, was twenty-five years old and associated in business with Mr. T. R. Walton, of Stanford, in the capacity of clerk, a position assumed only a few days prior to his decease. On last Sunday, January 13, he was with his father and mother at the old homestead, the pride and joy of their hearts and to all appearances in his customary good health, but as he returned to town after night, complained of a feeling of general debility, and as soon as he reached his boarding house ordered fire and retired for the night. By morning he had a well developed attack of pneumonia in its most malignant form. Able and skillful physicians were in constant attendance and everything that love and affection could suggest to alleviate his sufferings was done, but he steadily grew worse until death released him from his sufferings. His body was borne to his father's on the day of his death and yesterday his funeral was preached by Elder J. G. Livingston in a very impressive and able sermon. Although the day was exceedingly inclement, the house was crowded, showing the high regard in which the deceased was held by those who knew him best. At the conclusion of the church services, with sorrowing hearts, the neighbors and friends placed the mortal remains of Brother Martin in their last resting place.

Richard Martin was no ordinary young man. In his childhood he gave himself to the blessed Savior, joining the Christian church and with a fidelity rarely found, even in matured manhood, he walked in the footsteps of his Master. The vices so prevalent among those of his own age, left no impress upon his character. The Church, Sunday School and in fact every good work received his earnest and self-sacrificing support and truthfully may be said, he indeed walked in beautiful obedience to the Lord. Viewing the death of Brother Martin from a human angle of vision merely, it appears as one of those horrible and irreparable calamities that from time to time must fall upon households and communities and in which there is neither wisdom nor comeliness; but when by faith we can trust absolutely in the loving kindness and mercy of God, knowing that he doeth all things well, our griefs and sorrows will be softened as we stand in the presence of "His stately step-pings." The scriptures assure us that: "The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him and delivereth them. That eye hath not seen nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love Him." Therefore, as a friend and Christian brother of the deceased, I know that our loss is Brother Martin's gain. Having been reared in the fear and nurture of God, the Master found him thus early in life, prepared for heavenly services and hath exalted him to a seat and service among the angels of God. To the bereaved parents I would say, your dear boy is not dead, but liveth in a better and brighter world than this, clothed with an immortality as imperishable as God himself, and when called yourselves to enter upon the realities of that unseen world, my faith whispers the thought, that you shall find your boy, holding for you, the gates of Heaven ajar. M.

January 20th, 1884.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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As Master Commissioner of the Casey Circuit Court, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-House door in Liberty, Ky., to the highest bidder at public auction, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, '84

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